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DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

June 28, 1984

Regional Administrator EPA Region II 26 Federal Plaza New York, New York 10007

SUB: Contingency Plan Incident Report

REF: Resource Conservation and Recovery Act

Regulations 40 CFR Part 265.56(j).

Attached is a report on an incident which required the implementation of our contingency plan. The report format used follows the information required as listed numerically in the Federal Register.

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## CONTINGENCY PLAN INCIDENT REPORT

REFERENCE: Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Regulations,

40 CFR Part 265.56(j)

1. OPERATOR INFORMATION: American Cyanamid Company, Inc.

One Cyanamid Plaza

Wayne, New Jersey 07470

(201) 831-2000

2. FACILITY INFORMATION Lederle Laboratories

Division of American Cyanamid

North Middletown Road

Pearl River, New York 10965

3. DATE, TIME, AND TYPE OF INCIDENT: June 27, 1984, 8:45 A.M.

Tank overflow through tank vent

onto exterior wall of

Manufacturing Building and pavement two floors below.

4. NAME AND QUANTITY OF MATERIAL: 28% methanol solution (F003).

Approximately two to three

gallons.

5. EXTENT OF INJURIES, IF ANY: None.

6. HAZARDS: None.

7. RECOVERY: Not possible; solvent evaporated

too quickly on the surface of the

building and pavement.